

### Section 1: Product and Company Identification

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Product Code: 4 Synonyms: N-A Recommended Use:

CALIBRATION GAS Usage Restrictions: INDUSTRIAL CALIBRATION GAS ONLY

### Section 2: Hazards Identification



Hazard Classification: Eye Effects (Category 1) Gases Under Pressure Specific target organ toxicity (Single Exposure) (Category 3)

**Hazard Statements:** Causes serious eye damage Contains gas under pressure; may explode if heated May cause respiratory irritation;

#### **Precautionary Statements**

#### Prevention:

Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/ vapors/spray. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. Wear eye protection/face protection. [In case of inadequate ventilation] wear respiratory protection.

#### Response:

If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Call a poison center or doctor if you feel unwell. If inhaled: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

#### Storage:

Store locked up. Protect from sunlight. Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

#### Disposal:

Dispose of contents and/or container in accordance with applicable regulations.

## Section 3: Composition/Information on Ingredients

	CAS #	Concentration
Anhydrous Ammonia	7664-41-7	100PPM
Oxygen	7782-44-7	%20.9
Nitrogen	7727-37-9	BALANCE

	Chemical Substance	Chemical Family	Trade Names
Anhydrous Ammonia	AMMONIA, ANHYDROUS	Inorganic gases	ANHYDROUS AMMONIA; AMMONIA GAS; AMMONIA; SPIRIT OF HARTSHORN; AMMONIA, ANHYDROUS, LIQUIFIED; UN 1005; H3N
Oxygen	OXYGEN, COMPRESSED GAS	Inorganic gases	OXYGEN; DIOXYGEN; MOLECULAR OXYGEN; OXYGEN MOLECULE; PURE OXYGEN; UN 1072; O2
Nitrogen	NITROGEN, COMPRESSED GAS	Inorganic gases	DIATOMIC NITROGEN; DINITROGEN; NITROGEN; NITROGEN-14; NITROGEN GAS; UN 1066; N2

## Section 4: First Aid Measures

	Skin Contact	Eye Contact	Ingestion	Inhalation	Note to Physicians	
Anhydr ous Ammon ia	Wash skin with soap and water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. Get immediate medical attention. Thoroughly clean and dry contaminated clothing before reuse. Destroy contaminated shoes.	Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Then get immediate medical attention.	Gas: Not a likely route of exposure	If adverse effects occur, remove to uncontaminated area. Give artificial respiration if not breathing. If breathing is difficult, oxygen should be administered by qualified personnel. Get immediate medical attention. Wear personal protective equipment if gas still present.	For inhalation, consider oxygen.	
Oxygen	None expected	None expected	Not likely route of exposure	If adverse effects occur, remove to uncontaminated area. Give artificial respiration if not breathing. Get immediate medical attention.	None	
Nitroge n	Wash exposed skin with soap and water.	Flush eyes with plenty of water.	If a large amount is swallowed, get medical attention.	If adverse effects occur, remove to uncontaminated area. Give artificial respiration if not breathing. If breathing is difficult, oxygen should be administered by qualified personnel. Get immediate medical attention.	For inhalation, consider oxygen.	

## Section 5: Fire Fighting Measures

	Suitable Extinguishing Media	Products of Combustion	Protection of Firefighters
Anhydr ous Ammon ia	Carbon dioxide, regular dry chemical Large fires: Use regular foam or flood with fine water spray.	Nitrogen dioxide, ammonium nitrate	<ul> <li>Any supplied-air respirator with full facepiece and operated in a pressure-demand or other positive-pressure mode in combination with a separate escape supply, with full-body encapsulating, chemical protective suit.</li> <li>Wear protective gear with respiratory support.</li> </ul>
Oxygen	Non-flammable. Use extinguishing agent appropriate for the material which is burning. Use water in large quantities for fires involving oxygen.	Oxides of burning material	<ul> <li>Respiratory protection may be needed for frequent or heavy exposure.</li> <li>None</li> </ul>
Nitroge n	Non-flammable. Use suitable extinguishing media for surrounding fire. Cylinders may rupture or explode if exposed to heat.	Non-flammable	<ul> <li>Respiratory protection may be needed for frequent or heavy exposure.</li> </ul>

## Section 6: Accidental Release Measures

	Personal Precautions	Environmental Precautions	Methods for Containment
Anhydr ous Ammoni a	Keep unnecessary people away, isolate hazard area and deny entry. Stay upwind and keep out of low areas. Ventilate closed spaces before entering. Evacuation radius: 150 feet.	Avoid dispersal of spilled material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways, drains and sewers.	Stop leak if possible without personal risk. Reduce vapors with water spray. Do not get water directly on material. Do not get water inside container. Trap spilled material at bottom in deep water pockets, excavated holding areas or within sand bag barriers.
Oxygen	Keep unnecessary people away, isolate hazard area and deny entry. Ventilate closed spaces before entering.	Avoid contact with combustible materials.	Stop leak if possible without personal risk.
Nitroge n	Keep unnecessary people away, isolate hazard area and deny entry. Stay upwind and keep out of low areas.	No significant effects from contamination expected.	Stop leak if possible without personal risk.

	Methods for Cleanup	Other Information
Anhydrous Ammonia	Small spills: Flood with water. Large spills: Dike for later disposal. Collect spilled material using mechanical equipment. Dike for later disposal. Add dilute acid. Absorb with sand or other non-combustible material. Collect runoff for disposal as potential hazardous waste. Do not direct water at source of leak of liquid ammonia.	Notify Local Emergency Planning Committee and State Emergency Response Commission for release greater than or equal to RQ (U.S. SARA Section 304). If release occurs in the U.S. and is reportable under CERCLA Section 103, notify the National Response Center at (800)424-8802 (USA) or (202)426-2675 (USA).
Oxygen	Stop leak and ventilate	None
Nitrogen	N/A	N/A

### Section 7: Handling and Storage

	Handling	Storage
Anhydrous Ammonia	Store and use with adequate ventilation. Firmly secure cylinders upright to keep them from falling or being knocked over. Screw valve protection cap firmly in place by hand. Store only where temperature will not exceed 125F (52C). Store full and empty cylinders separately. Use a first-in, first-out inventory system to prevent storing full cylinders for long periods.	Do not get liquid in eyes, on skin, or clothing. Protect cylinders from damage. Use a suitable hand truck to move cylinders; do not drag, roll, slide, or drop. Open valve slowly. Close cylinder valve after each use; keep closed even when empty. If valve is hard to open, discontinue use and contact your supplier.
Oxygen	Store and handle in accordance with all current regulations and standards. Subject to storage regulations: U.S. OSHA 29 CFR 1910.101.	Keep separated from incompatible substances.
Nitrogen	Store and handle in accordance with all current regulations and standards. Subject to storage regulations: U.S. OSHA 29 CFR 1910.101.	Keep separated from incompatible substances.

## Section 8: Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

	Exposure Guidelines
Anhydrous Ammonia	AMMONIA, ANHYDROUS: 50 ppm (35 mg/m3) OSHA TWA 35 ppm (27 mg/m3) OSHA STEL (vacated by 58 FR 35338, June 30, 1993) 25 ppm ACGIH TWA 35 ppm ACGIH STEL 25 ppm (18 mg/m3) NIOSH recommended TWA 10 hour(s) 35 ppm (27 mg/m3) NIOSH recommended STEL
Oxygen	OXYGEN, COMPRESSED GAS: No occupational exposure limits established.
Nitrogen	NITROGEN, COMPRESSED GAS: NITROGEN: ACGIH (simple asphyxiant)

# Engineering Controls Handle only in fully enclosed systems.

	Eye Protection	Skin Protection	Respiratory Protection
Anhydrous Ammonia	Wear splash resistant safety goggles with a face shield. Provide an emergency eye wash fountain and quick drench shower in the immediate work area.	Wear appropriate chemical resistant clothing.	Any supplied-air respirator with full facepiece and operated in a pressure- demand or other positive-pressure mode in combination with a separate escape supply, with full-body encapsulating, chemical protective suit.
Oxygen	Eye protection not required, but recommended.	Protective clothing is not required.	Respiratory protection may be needed for frequent or heavy exposure.
Nitrogen	Eye protection not required, but recommended.	Protective clothing is not required.	Respiratory protection may be needed for frequent or heavy exposure.

**General Hygiene considerations** 

- Avoid breathing vapor or mist
- Avoid contact with eyes and skin
- Wash thoroughly after handling and before eating or drinking

## Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

	Physical State	Appearance	Color	Change in Appearance	Physical Form	Odor	Taste
Anhy drous Amm onia	Gas	Colorless	Colorless	N/A	Gas, liquid	Pungent odor	N/A
Oxyg en	Gas	Clear	Colorless	N/A	Gas	Odorless	Tasteless
Nitro gen	Gas	Clear	Colorless	N/A	Gas	Odorless	Tasteless

	Flash Point	Flammability	Partition Coefficient	Autoignitio n Temperatur e	Upper Explosive Limits	Lower Explosive Limits
Anhy drous Amm onia	Not available			1204 F (651 C)	0.28	0.15
Oxyg en	Not flammable	Not available	Not available	Nonflammable	Nonflammable	Nonflammable
Nitro gen	Not flammable	Not available	Not available	Nonflammable	Nonflammable	Nonflammable

	Boiling Point	Freezing Point	Vapor Pressure	Vapor Density	Specific Gravity	Water Solubility	рН	Odor Threshol d	Evaporati on Rate	Viscosi ty
An hyd rou s Am mo nia	-27 F (-33 C)	-108 F (-78 C)	6658 mmHg @ 21 C	0.5967 (Air=1)	Not applicable (gas); 0.682 @ -33.4 C (liquefied gas)	38% @ 20 C	11.6 (1.0 N solutio n)	1-5 ppm	Not applicable	0.255 mPa.s (0.255 centipois es) @ - 33.5 C (liquefied gas)
Ox yge n	-297 F (- 183 C)	-360 F (- 218 C)	760 mmHg @ -183 C	1.1 (Air=1)	Not applicable	3.2% @ 25 C	Not applic able	Not available	Not applicable	0.02075 cP @ 25 C
Nit rog en	-321 F (- 196 C)	-346 F (- 210 C)	760 mmHg @ -196 C	0.967 (Air=1)	Not applicable	1.6% @ 20 C	Not applic able	Not available	Not applicable	0.01787 cP @ 27 C

	Molecular Weight	Molecular Formula	Density	Weight per Gallon	Volatility by Volume	Volatility	Solvent Solubility
Anhy drou s Amm onia	17.03	N-H3	0.7067 g/L @ 25 C	Not available	Not available	Not applicable	Soluble: Methanol, ethanol, chloroform, ether, organic solvents
Oxyg en	31.9988	02	1.309 g/L @ 25 C	Not available	Not applicable	Not applicable	Soluble: Alcohol
Nitro gen	28.0134	N2	1.2506 g/L	Not available	100%	1	Soluble: Liquid ammonia

## Section 10: Stability and Reactivity

	Stability	Conditions to Avoid	Incompatible Materials
Anhydrous Ammonia	Stable at normal temperatures and pressure.	Stable at normal temperatures and pressure.	Acids, combustible materials, metals, oxidizing materials, metal salts, halo carbons, halogens, amines, reducing agents, cyanides, bases
Oxygen	Stable at normal temperatures and pressure.	Stable at normal temperatures and pressure.	Combustible materials, halo carbons, metals, bases, reducing agents, amines, metal salts, oxidizing materials, alkaline earth and alkali metals

	Stability	Conditions to Avoid	Incompatible Materials
Nitrogen	Stable at normal temperatures and	Stable at normal temperatures and	Metals, oxidizing materials
	pressure.	pressure.	

	Hazardous Decomposition Products	Possibility of Hazardous Reactions
Anhydrous Ammonia	Ammonia, oxides of nitrogen	Will not polymerize.
Oxygen	Miscellaneous decomposition products	Will not polymerize.
Nitrogen	Oxides of nitrogen	Will not polymerize.

## Section 11: Toxicology Information

### **Acute Effects**

	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation
Anhydro us Ammoni a	2000 ppm/4 hour(s) inhalation- rat LC50	Not established	Burns, severe irritant, pulmonary edema at concentrations over 1500 ppm
Oxygen	Not established	Not established	Irritation, changes in body temperature, nausea, difficulty breathing, irregular heartbeat, dizziness, disorientation, hallucinations, mood swings, pain in extremities, tremors, lung congestion, convulsions
Nitroge n	Not available	Not available         Nausea, vomiting, difficulty breathing, headache, drowsiness, dizziness, tingling sensation, loss of coordination, convulsions, coma	

	Eye Irritation	Skin Irritation	Sensitization
Anhyd rous Ammo nia	Burns, blindness	Burns, liquefied gas can cause frostbite	Acute toxicity, Category 3, inhalation; H331: Toxic if inhaled. Skin corrosion, Category 1B; H314: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
Oxyge n	No information on significant adverse effects	No information on significant adverse effects	No significant target effects reported.
Nitrog en	Contact with rapidly expanding gas may cause burns or frostbite	No information on significant adverse effects	Difficulty breathing

### **Chronic Effects**

	Carcinogenicity	Mutagenicity	Reproductive Effects	Develo pmenta l Effects
Anhydr ous Ammon ia	Not listed	Available.	Not established	No data
Oxygen	Not known.	Available.	Available.	No data
Nitroge n	Not hazardous	Not available	Not available	No data

# Section 12: Ecological Information

### **Fate and Transport**

	Eco toxicity	Persistence / Degradability	Bioaccumulation / Accumulation	Mobility in Environment
Anhy drous Amm onia	Fish toxicity: Acute LC50 0.88 mg/L 96 hour(s) Orangethroat; 1600 ug/L 96 hour(s) LC50 (Mortality) Common jollytail (Galaxias maculatus) Invertibrate toxicity: 7700 ug/L 96 hour(s) LC50 (Immobilization) Ark	Not available	Not available	Not available

	shell (Anadara granosa) Algal toxicity: 2100- 2300 ug/L NR hour(s) (Abundance) Algae, phytoplankton, algal mat (Algae) Phyto toxicity: 16500 ug/L 30 hour(s) (Abundance) Common water- nymph (Najas guadalupensis) Other toxicity: Not available			
Oxyg en	Fish toxicity: Not available Invertibrate toxicity: Not available Algal toxicity: Not available Phyto toxicity: Not available Other toxicity: Not available	Not available	Low bioaccumulation	Not available
Nitro gen	Fish toxicity: Not available Invertibrate toxicity: Not available Algal toxicity: Not available Phyto toxicity: Not available Other toxicity: Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available

## Section 13: Disposal Considerations

Anhydrous Ammonia	Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.
Oxygen	Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations. Subject to disposal regulations: U.S. EPA 40 CFR 262. Hazardous Waste Number(s): D001.
Nitrogen	Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.

## Section 14: Transportation Information

### U.S. DOT 49 CFR 172.101

### **DOT Information For This Mixture**

Shipping Name	Compressed gas, n.o.s. (Nitrogen, Oxygen)		
UN Number	UN1956		
Hazard Class	2.2		
Hazard Information	Non-Flammable Gas		

### **Individual Component Information**

	Proper Shipping Name	ID Number	Hazard Class or Division	Packing Group	Labeling Requiremen ts	Passenger Aircraft or Railcar Quantity Limitations	Cargo Aircraft Only Quantity Limitations	Additional Shipping Descriptio n
A nh yd r o u s A m m o ni a	Ammonia, anhydrous	UN1005	2.2, 2.3	Not applicable	2.3; 8	Forbidden	Forbidden	Toxic- Inhalation Hazard Zone D
O x y g e n	Oxygen, compressed	UN1072	2.2	Not available	2.2; 5.1	75 kg or L	150 kg	N/A
N it o g e n	Nitrogen, compressed	UN1066	2.2	Not applicable	2.2	75 kg or L	150 kg	N/A

### **Canadian Transportation of Dangerous Goods**

	Shipping Name	UN Number	Class	Packing Group / Risk Group
An hyd rou s Am mo nia	AMMONIA, ANHYDROUS; or ANHYDROUS AMMONIA	UN1005	2.3; 8	Not applicable
Oxy gen	Oxygen, compressed	UN1072	2.2; 5.1	Not applicable
Nitr oge n	Nitrogen, compressed	UN1066	2.2	Not applicable

## Section 15: Regulatory Information

### **U.S. Regulations**

	CERCLA Sections	SARA 355.30	SARA 355.40
Anhyd rous Ammo nia	100 LBS RQ	500 LBS TPQ	100 LBS RQ
Oxyge n	Not regulated.	Not regulated.	Not regulated.
Nitrog en	Not regulated.	Not regulated.	Not regulated.

SARA 370.21

	Acute	Chronic	Fire	Reactive	Sudden Release
Anh	Yes	No	No	No	Yes

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Oxy gen	No	No	Yes	No	Yes
Nitr ogen	Yes	No	No	No	Yes

### SARA 372.65

Anhydrous Ammonia	AMMONIA, ANHYDROUS
Oxygen	Not regulated.
Nitrogen	Not regulated.

### **OSHA Process Safety**

Anhydrous Ammonia	10000 LBS TQ
Oxygen	Not regulated.
Nitrogen	Not regulated.

### **State Regulations**

	CA Proposition 65
Anhydrous Ammonia	Not regulated.
Oxygen	Not regulated.
Nitrogen	Not regulated.

### **Canadian Regulations**

	WHMIS Classification
Anhydrous Ammonia	A, B1, D1A, E
Oxygen	A,C
Nitrogen	A

### **National Inventory Status**

	US Inventory (TSCA)	TSCA 12b Export Notification	Canada Inventory (DSL/NDSL)
Anhy drou s Amm onia	Listed on inventory.	Not listed.	Not determined.
Oxyg en	Listed on inventory.	Not listed.	Not determined.
Nitro gen	Listed on inventory.	Not listed.	Listed on inventory.

## Section 16: Other Information

NFPA Rating	
Anhydrous Ammonia	HEALTH=3 FIRE=1 REACTIVITY=0
Oxygen	HEALTH=0 FIRE=0 REACTIVITY=0 SPECIAL=OX
Nitrogen	HEALTH=0 FIRE=0 REACTIVITY=0 SPECIAL=SA

0 = minimal hazard, 1 = slight hazard, 2 = moderate hazard, 3 = severe hazard, 4 = extreme hazard